Commencement

The University of Memphis

University Mace

The University Mace, a symbol of leadership and authority, is a visual embodiment of tradition in academic circles. Presented during the institution's 75th anniversary in 1987, the mace is displayed only at formal events attended by faculty and top administrators dressed in full academic regalia. The evolution of the University's name is depicted on silver disks on the mace's bronze head.

University Banner

The University banner, introduced at our first commencement as The University of Memphis in August 1994, incorporates our seal surrounded by the traditional gold laurel wreath. The internal shield depicts higher education's torch of learning and book of knowledge as well as our state's commerce and industry symbols. Our opening date of 1912 is shown below the shield.

Presidential Medallion

The Presidential Medallion signifies position, authority and trust and is worn by the President during official academic functions at the University. Commissioned by a group of distinguished alumni and friends and presented to the University in 1974, the Presidential Medallion combines institutional symbols with chain links honoring all presidents of the University.

WINTER CONVOCATION

OF THE

NINETY-FIRST COMMENCEMENT

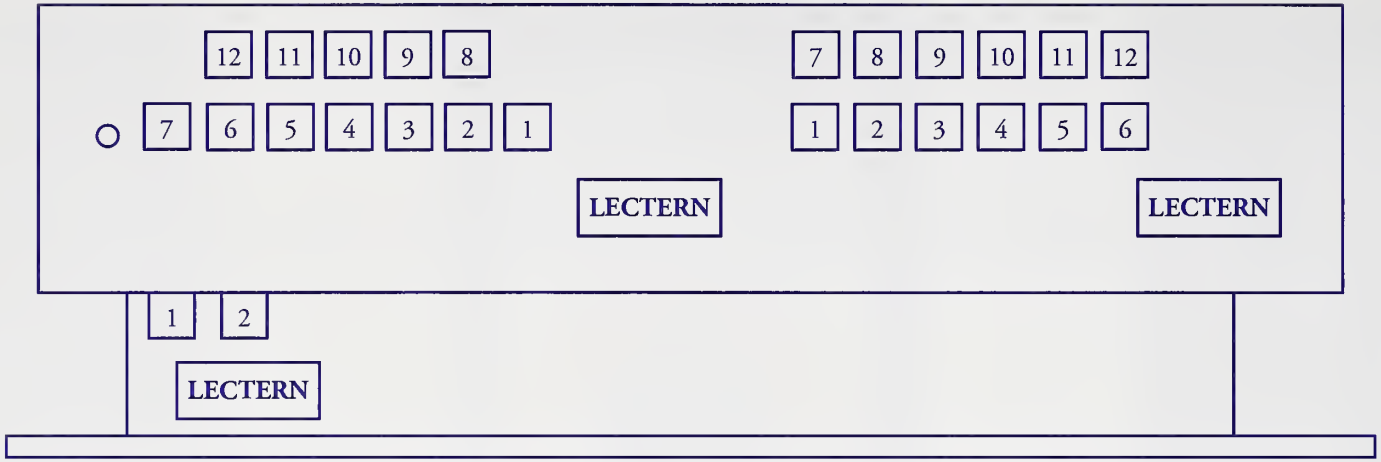
The University of Memphis

3:00 P.M.

December 15, 2002

The Pyramid Arena

PRESIDENT'S PLATFORM PARTY



UPPER STAGE

Left Side

1. **Dr. Ralph J. Faudree,** Provost
2. **Dr. Donald K. Carson,** Vice President for Student Affairs
3. **Mr. Charles Lee,** Vice President for Business and Finance
4. **Dr. James L. Penrod,** Vice President for Information Systems and CIO
5. **Mr. Richard Glassman,** President, The University of Memphis Alumni Association
6. **Ms. Laura E. Pevahouse,** President, Student Government Association
7. **Dr. Mary Vroman Battle**, Secretary, Faculty Senate
8. **Ms. Kimberley Kaye Allen,** Soloist
9. **Dr. Dan L. Lattimore,** Vice Provost for Extended Programs and Dean, University College
10. **Dr. Richard R. Ranta,** Dean, College of Communication and Fine Arts
11. **Dr. Maurice I. Mendel,** Dean, School of Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology
12. **Dr. Sylverna V. Ford,** Dean, University Libraries

Right Side

1. **Dr. Shirley C. Raines,** President
2. **Dr. Charles W. Manning,** Speaker
3. **The Honorable Maxine A. Smith,** Member of the Tennessee Board of Regents
4. **The Honorable Jessica J. Whitehead,** Student Member of the Tennessee Board of Regents
5. **Dr. John R. Haddock,** Interim Vice Provost for Academic Affairs
6. **Dr. Karen D. Weddle-West,** Interim Assistant Vice Provost for Graduate Studies
7. **Dr. Donald J. Polden,** Dean, Cecil C. Humphreys School of Law
8. **Dr. Henry A. Kurtz,** Dean, College of Arts and Sciences
9. **Dr. John J. Pepin,** Dean, Fogelman College of Business and Finance
10. **Dr. Toni Bargagliotti,** Dean, Loewenberg School of Nursing
11. **Dr. Ric A. Hovda,** Dean, College of Education
12. **Dr. Richard C. Warder, Jr.**, Dean, Herff College of Engineering

LOWER STAGE

1. **Dr. Angela G. Ray,** Assistant Professor, College of Communication and Fine Arts, Pronouncer
2. **Ms. Anita Jo Lenhart,** Associate Professor, College of Communication and Fine Arts, Pronouncer

PROGRAM

PRESIDING . . . . . Dr. Ralph J. Faudree
Provost

PRELUDE and FANFARE
Overture to The Fledermaus . . . . . *Johann Strauss*
Academic Festival Overture, Op. 80 . . . . . *Johannes Brahms*
Fanfare for the Common Man . . . . . *Aaron Copland*
The University of Memphis Symphony Orchestra
Pu-Qi Jiang, Music Director

PROCESSIONAL*
Trio from Pomp and Circumstance, March No. 1 . . . . . *Sir Edward Elgar*

PRESENTATION OF COLORS* . . . . . The Color Guard
United States Air Force Reserve Officers Training Corps Honor Guard

THE NATIONAL ANTHEM* . . . . . *Francis Scott Key*
Ms. Kimberley Kaye Allen, Soloist

SALUTATIONS TO THE CLASS
President, Student Government Association . . . . . Ms. Laura E. Pevahouse
President, Alumni Association . . . . . Mr. Richard Glassman

THE PRESIDENT'S WELCOME. . . . . Dr. Shirley C. Raines
President of the University

ADDRESS . . . . . Dr. Charles W. Manning
Chancellor, The Tennessee Board of Regents

Dr. Charles W. Manning is Chancellor of the Tennessee Board of Regents, the state governing body for 45 campuses across Tennessee. With 180,000 students, the Board of Regents constitutes the nation's sixth largest system of higher education. Although he came to Tennessee only two years ago, Dr. Manning has a long career in public higher education. For 10 years he served as chief executive officer of the University System of West Virginia. Under his leadership, the West Virginia system increased its resource base substantially, rising to thirteenth among all states in per capita investment in public higher education. Prior to his success in West Virginia, Dr. Manning had been executive vice chancellor of the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education and deputy executive director for the Colorado Commission on Higher Education. He holds a bachelor's degree from Western Maryland College and a doctorate in analytical chemistry from the University of Maryland.

PRESENTATION OF THE CANDIDATES . . . . . The Academic Deans

CONFERRAL OF DEGREES IN COURSE . . . . . Dr. Raines

PRONOUNCERS. . . . . Ms. Anita Jo Lenhart
Dr. Angela G. Ray

The Doctoral Degrees
The Specialist and Master Degrees
The Baccalaureate Degrees

THE ALMA MATER* . . . . . *J. W. Brister*
Ms. Allen

RECESSIONAL*
The Stars and Stripes Forever (March) . . . . . *John Phillip Sousa*

***Please stand**

Guests are requested to remain in guest seating during the ceremony; and, after the Alma Mater, to remain in place until the Platform Party has departed.

THE TENNESSEE BOARD OF REGENTS

THE HONORABLE DON SUNDQUIST, Governor of Tennessee, Chairman, *ex officio*
THE HONORABLE FAYE TAYLOR, Commissioner of Education, *ex officio*
THE HONORABLE JOHN W. ROSE, Commissioner of Agriculture, *ex officio*
THE HONORABLE RICHARD G. RHODA, Executive Director, Tennessee Higher Education Commission, *ex officio*
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THE HONORABLE MAXINE A. SMITH, *Memphis*
THE HONORABLE WILLIAM H. WATKINS, JR., *Memphis*
THE HONORABLE CHARLES "LYNN" SWAFFORD, *Faculty Regent*
THE HONORABLE JESSICA J. WHITEHEAD, *Student Regent*

DR. CHARLES W. MANNING, *Chancellor*

HISTORICAL HERITAGE

From the opening of its doors in 1912 as a normal school for training teachers to its present status as one of Tennessee's two comprehensive universities, The University of Memphis has been thrust forward by the growth of Memphis and the Mid-South. A town oriented to a rural economy and culture in 1900 grew into a large urban and commercial center by mid-century, and the city's public institution of higher learning experienced comparable growth.

The normal school grew from a few hundred students (1912-1925), to a teachers' college with a better staff and an enrollment of up to a thousand (1925-1941), then to a state college with an expanded curriculum in liberal arts, business and graduate education for three to four thousand students (1941-1957), until the institution achieved university status in 1957. Memphis State University became The University of Memphis as of July 1, 1994.

It was not an easy struggle. As the city of Memphis grew and prospered, the demand for a completely developed public university grew. Finally, legislators and board members agreed about The University of Memphis' role and approved the change urged so forcefully by concerned local citizens, several presidents, alumni and faculty members.

The metropolitan requirements for more highly trained university graduates have, of necessity, caused The University to expand all its offerings in arts and sciences, business, fine arts, education, engineering and technology, law, and several special professional fields. More than 75 percent of the full-time faculty have earned the highest possible degree in their fields.

With its five Centers of Excellence and 24 Chairs of Excellence, The University of Memphis is in the forefront of research and instruction in this region. Our students have the opportunity to study under some of the country's best educators. Therefore, every graduate of The University of Memphis should be able to compete effectively with his or her counterparts from any other respected university in the nation.

If this mind
reaches out for all
the learning of the past and all
the great dreams of the future,
feed it that upon which
it will grow . . . .

John Trotwood Moore, 1922

ACADEMIC DRESS

The following information is to help our visitors identify the costumes seen in the commencement procession:

Academic dress originated at universities in the Middle Ages when a warm gown and hood were necessary in unheated buildings. For centuries these gowns distinguished students from their fellow citizens; sometimes this distinction in dress symbolized unfortunate controversies between "town and gown". The European habit of using academic robes came to this country in the eighteenth century with the founding of what is now Columbia University. In 1895, American universities and colleges standardized their styles of academic costumes, and this system, with occasional modifications, is still in force. Today, the various colors, trimmings, and patterns of gown, hood, and cap are all traditional and symbolize both the degree and field of learning.

GOWNS: American academic gowns are usually of black material, and their pattern varies with the degree held. The bachelor gowns are relatively simple in design with a closed front and long, pointed, open sleeves. Master's gowns have an open front with long, closed sleeves, the arms extending through a slit at the elbow, giving the appearance of short sleeves. Doctoral gowns are the most elaborate with velvet panels down the open front and three velvet bars on the bell-shaped sleeves.

HOODS: The hoods, differing in length for the three degrees (bachelor's, master's, and doctor's), are lined with the colors of the institution that granted the degree. Hoods are also trimmed with the color that heralds the major field of learning.

CAPS: A square mortarboard is the approved headgear. The tassel, fastened to the middle point of the top of the cap, is black or the color appropriate to the subject; it may be gold if the holder has a doctor's degree. The University of Memphis has adopted the practice of having candidates for the bachelor degree wear the tassels on the right front side before degrees are conferred and shift them to the left at the moment when the degrees are awarded to them.

In the last few years, many universities have decided to return to a distinctive gown design. For instance, Columbia's is now slate gray, Rochester's a dandelion yellow, Northwestern's is purple. The doctoral gown, with facing of black velvet, now has sleeve bands in the color of the wearer's discipline. Some have replaced the mortarboard with a soft velvet tam with a gold tassel.

Following is a list of the hood and tassel colors that represent several categories of learning:

Arts, Letters, Humanities	White
Audiology & Speech Pathology	Dark Blue
City & Regional Planning	Scarlet Red
Commerce, Accountancy, Business	Sapphire Blue
Communication Arts	Silver Gray
Economics	Copper
Education	Light Blue
Engineering	Orange
Fine Arts	Brown
Health Administration	Peach
Home Economics	Maroon
Journalism	Crimson
Law	Purple
Music	Pink
Nursing	Apricot
Philosophy	Dark Blue
Physical Education	Sage Green
Public Administration	Peacock Blue
Science	Golden Yellow
Social Work	Citron

All hoods are *edged* with the above colors. These same colors may be used for the facing and sleeve bars of doctoral gowns and tassels on bachelors' and masters' caps.

The *lining* of the hood indicates the university granting the degree—for The University of Memphis, blue and gray. Among other institutional colors represented at this commencement are those for Arkansas, red and white; Chicago, maroon; Columbia, light blue and white chevron; Duke, royal blue with white chevron; Emory, navy blue with gold chevron; Harvard, crimson; Illinois, navy blue with two orange chevrons; University of Iowa, old gold; Kansas, navy blue with cardinal chevron; Northwestern, purple with gold chevrons; Ohio State, scarlet with silver gray chevron; Rice, silver above blue; Texas, white above orange; Vanderbilt, black and gold; Wisconsin, bright red; Yale, royal blue.

THE UNIVERSITY OF Memphis

ALUMNI

The University of Memphis Alumni Association has been in existence for almost 70 years and represents more than 60,000 alumni of the University.

The mission of the Alumni Association is to strengthen the relationship between the alumni and their alma mater in order to effectively support the University's priorities. It seeks to achieve this mission through communication, activities and events that involve and inform alumni.

In addition to general alumni programs, the Association sponsors 19 geographically based area clubs and 16 college and special-interest constituent chapters that provide opportunities for grass-roots involvement by alumni.

The Alumni Association's activities and programs are governed by a volunteer Board of Directors, and the diverse interests of alumni are represented through the Alumni Council.

Membership in the Alumni Association is open to all graduates and former students of the University who pay annual or lifetime membership fees. New graduates receive their membership at no charge for the first year following commencement. Parents and other non-alumni supporters may become affiliate members upon payment of membership fees and acceptance by the Alumni Board.

The Association is housed in the Alumni Center, a beautifully furnished facility located on the corner of Spottswood and Normal. In addition to housing the alumni offices, the facility annually hosts more than 450 meetings and events that attract the participation of 11,000 alumni and friends.

UNDERGRADUATE

CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

GRADUATION WITH DISTINCTION

Based on a grading system of "A" as 4.0, three designations of graduation honors are recognized.*

Summa Cum Laude	With Highest Distinction	3.80 - 4.00	Gold Cord
Magna Cum Laude	With High Distinction	3.50 - 3.79	Crimson Cord
Cum Laude	With Distinction	3.25 - 3.49	White Cord

GRADUATION WITH HONORS

With the approval of the University Honors Council, The University of Memphis offers several departmental honors programs. These programs involve a combination of special honors course work, independent study, and usually an honors thesis or project. Students who successfully complete a departmental honors program are awarded their degrees with honors in their area of concentration (e.g., With Honors in English).

*Note: Because of time limitations imposed in preparing this program for commencement, listing for graduation with distinction was based on a minimum of forty-five (45) graded semester hours and the grade point average as of the term prior to the final semester. Final determination of graduation with distinction will be based on a minimum of fifty (50) graded semester hours, including the final semester, and on the cumulative grade point average as of graduation.

THE GRADUATE SCHOOL

Interim Assistant Vice Provost for Graduate Studies
Karen D. Weddle-West, Ph.D.

The Graduate School of The University of Memphis is the center of advanced study and research within the University. The basic objectives of The Graduate School are: (a) to preserve and disseminate knowledge now available in the humanities, the sciences, and the various professional areas represented by the departmental graduate faculties; (b) to extend knowledge through basic research; and (c) to prepare men and women to assume a more responsible and useful role in society.

DOCTOR OF MUSICAL ARTS

Kevin Clinton Carroll – Rudi E. Scheidt School of Music
B.M.Ed., 1987, Drake University
M.Ed., 1989, Tennessee State University
Dissertation: *"Unaccompanied Flute Works by Twentieth Century Black Composers"*
Major Professor: Dr. John W. Baur

Linda Kline Lamar – Rudi E. Scheidt School of Music
B.M., 1993, Northwestern University
M.M., 1995, The Cleveland Institute of Music
Dissertation: *"A Critical Edition of Giuseppe Tartini's 'The Art of Bowing' with Commentary"*
Major Professor: Professor Leonard A. Schranze

DOCTOR OF EDUCATION

Darlene Dunigan Baker – Department of Leadership
A.D.N., 1976, Arkansas State University
B.S.N., 1983, The University of Central Arkansas
M.N.S., 1989, The University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences
Dissertation: *"A Longitudinal Study of Critical Thinking Skills in Baccalaureate Nursing Students"*
Major Professor: Dr. Patricia H. Murrell

Frances Thacker Clark – Department of Instruction & Curriculum Leadership
B.S.Ed., 1970, Southwest Missouri State University
M.S., 1995, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"Impact of the Cognitive Apprenticeship Model on Preparing Preservice Teachers to Effectively Plan for the Use of Technology in Instruction"*
Major Professor: Dr. Deborah L. Lowther

Pamela Clay – Department of Instruction & Curriculum Leadership
B.S., 1986, Alabama A&M University
M.Ed., 1998, Alabama A&M University
Dissertation: *"An Assessment of Perceptions and Attitudes Towards the Defense Contract Audit Institute's Training Curriculum as Perceived by Auditors with the Defense Contract Audit Agency"*
Major Professor: Dr. Duane M. Giannangelo

Felicia Fay Fowler – Department of Instruction & Curriculum Leadership
B.S.Ed., 1995, The University of Memphis
M.S., 1997, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"Do Computer Attitudes Vary Based on Gender, Grade Level, and/or Educational Plan?"*
Major Professor: Dr. Deborah L. Lowther

Genevieve H. Fridland – Department of Leadership
B.S., 1963, University of Montreal
M.A., 1995, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"A Comparison of the Learning Style Preferences of American Teachers Of English as a Second Language and Chinese Teachers of English as a Foreign Language"*
Major Professor: Dr. Mary Lee Hall

Donna Martin Gambill – Department of Leadership
B.A., 1972, Memphis State University
M.S., 1973, Louisiana State University
M.S., 1977, Memphis State University
Dissertation: *"The Academic Success of At-Risk Football and Men's Basketball Players at a Public University in the Mid-South"*
Major Professor: Dr. Ernest A. Rakow

DOCTOR OF EDUCATION *(continued)*

Arthur Lee Grehan, III – Department of Leadership
B.A., 1977, Memphis State University
M.A., 1980, Memphis State University
M.P.A., 1986, Memphis State University
Dissertation: *"The Feasibility of Using Wage Record Data to Track the Employment and Earnings Outcomes of Tennessee Community College Graduates"*
Major Professor: Dr. Robert O. Riggs

Teresa A. Hartnett – Department of Leadership
B.A., 1989, George Washington University
M.P.A., 1991, New York University
Dissertation: *"Faculty Commitment to their Institution and Department Chairs' Leadership Complexity"*
Major Professor: Dr. John C. Smart

James Tillman Kennon – Department of Instruction & Curriculum Leadership
B.S., 1972, Arkansas State University
B.S.Ed., 1991, Arkansas State University
M.S.Ed., 1992, Arkansas State University
Dissertation: *"A Study of the Levels of Understanding of Physical Science Concepts of K-8 Preservice and Inservice Teachers"*
Major Professor: Dr. S. Wali Abdi

Benjamin Thomas Phillips – Department of Leadership
B.S., 1997, Freed-Hardeman University
M.S., 1999, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"The Use of Value-Added Gain Scores to Assess the Impact of School Funding on Student Learning and Educational Adequacy"*
Major Professor: Dr. Mary Lee Hall

Gloria Anne Reece – Department of Instruction & Curriculum Leadership
B.S., 1990, Florida Institute of Technology
M.S., 1994, Florida Institute of Technology
Dissertation: *"Text Legibility for Web Documents and Low Vision"*
Major Professor: Dr. Deborah L. Lowther

Hugh Rodney Showalter – Department of Leadership
B.A., 1969, Hendrix College
M.S., 1980, The University of Arkansas
Dissertation: *"Persistence of Associate of Arts Degree Students"*
Major Professor: Dr. Patricia H. Murrell

Laura H. Thompson – Department of Instruction & Curriculum Leadership
B.S., 1974, Tennessee State University
M.A., 1977, The University of Tennessee
Dissertation: *"Perceived Barriers to Transfer of Training Among Community Mental Health Case Managers"*
Major Professor: Dr. Deborah L. Lowther

Jennifer Waits Walter – Department of Instruction & Curriculum Leadership
B.A.Ed., 1997, The University of Mississippi
M.Ed., 1998, The University of Mississippi
Dissertation: *"A Case Study of the Roles and Responsibilities of Technology Coaches in K-12 Schools"*
Major Professor: Dr. Deborah L. Lowther

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Madalina Ciobanu – Department of Chemistry
B.S., 1996, University of Bucharest
Dissertation: *"Miniaturized Reference Electrodes Based on Ag/AgiX Internal Reference Elements"*
Major Professor: Dr. Donald R. Franceschetti

H. Heith Durrence – Department of Psychology
B.S., 1997, Georgia Southern University
M.S., 2000, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"Psychological Influences on the Perception of Poor Sleep"*
Major Professor: Dr. Kenneth L. Lichstein

Deborah Golden Fletcher – School of Audiology & Speech-Language Pathology
B.A., 1971, The University of Northern Colorado
M.A., 1972, The University of Northern Colorado
Dissertation: *"Variation in the Production of Vocalic and Postvocalic /r/ in Three- and Five-Year-Olds and Their Caregivers Who Speak African American Vernacular English"*
Major Professor: Dr. Karen E. Pollock

Tracy Lynn Hopkins-Golightly – Department of Psychology
B.A., 1991, West Virginia University
M.S., 1997, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"The Effects of Preeclampsia on Developmental Outcome in Preschool and School Age Children Born with Intrauterine Growth Restriction"*
Major Professor: Dr. Sam B. Morgan

Betty Sparks Huehls – Department of History
B.S.Ed., 1979, Tennessee Technological University
M.A., 1983, Tennessee Technological University
Dissertation: *"Sue Shelton White: Lady Warrior"*
Major Professor: Dr. Margaret M. Caffrey

Stuart Todd Leonard – Department of Biology
B.S., 1993, Louisiana College
M.S., 1995, McNeese State University
Dissertation: *"Photoperiodic and Gonadal Hormone Effects on Odor-Related Behaviors in Meadow Voles, 'Microtus pennsylvanicus' "*
Major Professor: Dr. Michael H. Ferkin

Lann Alvin Malesky, Jr. – Department of Counseling, Educational Psychology & Research
B.A., 1993, George Mason University
M.S., 1998, The University of Southern Mississippi
Dissertation: *"Sexually Deviant Internet Usage by Child Sex Offenders"*
Major Professor: Dr. Thomas V. Sayger

Susan Slate Mathews – Department of Counseling, Educational Psychology & Research
B.A., 1995, Loyola University
M.S., 1997, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"Qualitative Analysis of Feminist-Activist Development in Hungary: Internalizing an Imported Culture to Revolutionize Their Own"*
Major Professor: Dr. Sharon G. Horne

Ann Murphy – Department of Philosophy
B.A., 1996, Grinnell College
Dissertation: *"Ethics in History: Sartre, Merleau-Ponty, and Foucault on Historicity and Ethics"*
Major Professor: Dr. Leonard R. Lawlor

Brent Alan Olde – Department of Psychology
B.A., 1995, The University of Missouri - Columbia
M.S., 1999, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"Does Latent Semantic Analysis Actually Have a Latent Structure?"*
Major Professor: Dr. Arthur C. Graesser

Mantri Sivananda – Department of History
B.S., 1978, Andhra University
M.A., 1980, Andhra University
M.A., 1986, Andhra University
M.A., 1992, Midwestern State University
Dissertation: *"Controversial Memphis Mayor Henry Loeb, III, 1920-1992: A Biographical Study"*
Major Professor: Dr. Charles W. Crawford

Richard T. Stevens – Department of Biology
B.S., 1992 Frostburg State University
M.S., 1995, Tennessee Technological University
Dissertation: *"Spatial Ecology of the Mink ('Mustela vison')"*
Major Professor: Dr. Michael L. Kennedy

Shawn A. Thomas – Department of Biology
B.S., 1990, Delta State University
M.S., 1994, Mississippi State University
Dissertation: *"An Experimental Analysis of Reproductive Strategies in the Prairie Vole, 'Microtus ochrogaster' "*
Major Professor: Dr. Jerry O. Wolff

Sherri Pals Varnell – Department of Psychology
B.S., 1994, The University of Tennessee at Chattanooga
M.S., 2001, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"Individuals Randomized to Receive Treatment in Groups: Implications for Analysis"*
Major Professor: Dr. David M. Murray

Junhong Zhu – Department of Mathematical Sciences
B.E., 1995, Tsinghua University
M.S., 1998, Northwestern Polytechnical University
M.S., 2001, The University of Memphis
Dissertation: *"Estimation of Parameters for Cell Population"*
Major Professor: Dr. Wai-Yuan Tan

GRADUATE DEGREES IN ARTS AND SCIENCES

MASTER OF ARTS

The candidates for this degree have majored in anthropology, criminal justice, English, geography, history, philosophy, political science, romance languages, school psychology, or sociology.

Timothy R. Allen
B.A., 2000, Harding University

Leonard Troy Appling
B.S., 1997, Atlanta Christian College

Dorothy L. Bable
B.A., 2000, Northern Arizona University

Enrique Barquinero
B.A., 1992, California State University – Northridge
J.D., 2001, Florida Coastal School of Law

Gerranda DeeShell Brooks
B.S., 2000, Tennessee State University

Amy N. Cunningham
B.A., 1998, Austin Peay State University

Sonia Ilene Di Gregorio
A.A., 1983, Anchorage Community College
B.Ed., 1987, The University of Alaska
B.A, 1988, The University of Alaska

Margaret Seaman Duke
B.S.Ed., 1975, Memphis State University

Glendell Ray Fann
B.A., 1967, Harding College
M.A., 1973, Harding College Graduate School of Religion
M.Th., 1973, Harding College Graduate School of Religion
M.A., 1994, The University of Mississippi

James R. Ferguson
B.S., 2000, East Tennessee State University

Robert S. Garner
B.A., 1997, North Carolina State University

Mary Anne Garnett
B.A., 1970, Wisconsin State University-Eau Claire
M.A., 1971, The University of Wisconsin-Madison
Ph.D., 1980, The University of Wisconsin-Madison

Christopher Juston Hartman
B.A., 1995, Southwest Texas State University

Candyace Marie Horton
B.A., 2001, Baylor University

Sonja Luecke
B.A., 1999, The University of Memphis

Cameron J. Maness
B.A., 1995, David Lipscomb University

Terra Elizabeth Mayberry
B.A., 2001, The University of Memphis

Philip M. McCarthy
B.A., 1991, University of Greenwich

Sheila Diane Meggs
B.A., 1996, The University of Memphis

Samuel Ndiritu
B.Ed., 1994, Moi University, Kenya

Kristin E. Nelson
B.A., 1998, The University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Sara Elizabeth Perry
B.S., 2000, The University of Memphis

Christopher A. Przybyszewski
B.A., 1998, The University of Pennsylvania

Jamison P. Richardson
B.A., 2000, The University of Tennessee

Suzan Marie Stickle
B.A., 1998, The University of Memphis

Dale Jean Souza Sylvaria
B.A., 1999, University of Massachusetts-Dartmouth

Elizabeth Joan Tinoco
B.A., 1991, Western Kentucky University

Alvaro Torres-Calderon
Bachelor's, 1998, Universidad de Lima

Stacey Alexander Trimble
B.A., 2000, The University of Memphis

Michael Katherine Weldon
B.A., 1999, The University of Memphis

Caroline Barton Whittle
B.A., 1999, The University of Mississippi

Saralyn Baker Williams
B.S., 2000, College of Charleston

Daying Zhang
B.A., 2000, Foreign Affairs College

MASTER OF CITY AND REGIONAL PLANNING

The candidates for this degree have placed emphasis on areas of study such as land use and transportation planning, land use regulations or urban design.

Supriya Sharad Chandra Chewle
B.Arch., 2000, University of Mumbai

Shannon Sensing Cotter
B.S., 1988, The University of Tennessee

Daniel L. Holbrook
A.A., 1997, St. Louis Community College at Meramac
B.A., 1999, The University of Memphis

Quincy N. Jones
B.A., 1996, Dillard University

Ke Mao
B.E., 1998, Wuhan University

Katherine Ann Turner
B.A., 1997, The University of Memphis
M.A., 2000, The University of Memphis

MASTER OF HEALTH ADMINISTRATION

The candidate for this degree have majored in health administration.

Keary Lang Ashmore
A.A., 1997, The University of Maryland
B.S., 1997, The University of Maryland
M.S.S.W., 2001, The University of Tennessee

MASTER OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

The candidates for this degree have majored in public administration in the areas of general public administration, health service administration, human resources administration, non-profit administration or urban management and planning.

Angela R. Hooper
B.B.A., 1989, Mississippi State University

Christopher K. Wilson
B.S., 1995, Delta State University

MASTER OF SCIENCE

The candidates for this degree have majored in biology, chemistry, electronic commerce, geography, geological sciences, mathematical sciences, physics, or psychology.

Piyatilake Adris
B.S., 1989, Indiana University at Bloomington

Dileep Kumar Amboji
B.T., 2000, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University

Kiran Battepatti
B.S., 1999, University of Madras

Karmen K. Bentley
B.S., 1995, Florida State University

Wally F. Bitar
B.S., 1984, The University of Texas at Austin
M.S., 1996, Memphis State University

Carlotta Marie Boone
B.S., 2000, Xavier University of Louisiana

Marta E. Brown
B.A., 2001, The University of Memphis

Ryan M. Csontos
B.S., 1999, Western Carolina University

Kara L. Farrar
B.A., 2000, Christian Brothers University

Kim Floyd
B.S., 1997, The University of New Mexico

Ravikanth Vasista Gajula
B.T., 1999, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University

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Christopher Taylor
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B.E., 1998, Osmania University

Maria Soledad Velasco
B.S., 2000, University of Buenos Aires

Anthony Mitchell Ventura
B.S., 1997, Christian Brothers University

Matthew Aaron Waits
B.S., 2000, Union University

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B.E., 1990, Beijing University of Aeronautics
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B.Md., 1986, Beijing Medical University

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B.S., 1997, East China University of Science
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B.A., 1996, Brandeis University

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B.S., 1997, Montreat College

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A.A., 1985, Belmont College
B.P.S., 1999, The University of Memphis

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B.E., 1999, Madras University

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B.S., 1993, Hebei Normal University
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B.S., 1997, Nankai University

GRADUATE DEGREES IN BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS

MASTER OF ARTS

The candidates for this degree have majored in Economics.

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B.B.A., 1993, Central University of Finance and Economics

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

The candidates for this degree have majored in business administration in the areas of accounting; economics; finance, insurance and real estate; management, management science and operations management; marketing; law; the executive program; management information systems, or international business.

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B.S., 2000, Sultan Qaboos University

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Edmund Fitzgerald Campbell
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Irma Causevic
B.S., 1999, The University of Memphis

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B.B.A., 1995, California State University – Long Beach

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A.A., 1997, Meridian Community College
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B.S., 1986, University of Mesina
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B.A., 2000, Rhodes College

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B.B.A., 2001, Mississippi State University

Alison Hilliard Moore
B.B.A., 1997, The University of Memphis

Emily Kathryn Moore
B.B.A., 2000, The University of Georgia

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B.I.S.E., 2000, Auburn University

Tyson Edward Neas
B.A., 1997, The University of Memphis

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B.B.A., 1992, Austin Peay State University

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B.S., 1993, Universidade Federal de Espírito Santo

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B.S., 1991, The University of Arkansas

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B.S., 1994, Texas A&M University

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B.B.A., 1999, The University of Memphis

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MASTER OF SCIENCE

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B.S.B.A., 2000, Christian Brothers University

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B.S., 2000, The University of Florida

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B.E., 1996, Nanjing University

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B.B.A., 1977, Loyola Marymount University

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B.S.E.T., 1996, The University of Memphis

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B.B.A., 2001, The University of Memphis

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B.S., 1998, University of Mumbai

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A.A.S., 1997, State Technical Institute at Memphis
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B.E., 2000, Nagarjuna University

Matthew Powell
B.S.BA., 1997, Christian Brothers University

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B.A., 1988, Metropolitan State University

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B.S., 2000, Embry Riddle Aeronautical University

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B.B.A., 1992, University of Incheon
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B.E., 2000, Bapatla Engineering College

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B.S., 1995, The University of Denver

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B.E., 1983, Osmania University
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Gowtham Gunachandran Vangayal
B.E., 2000, University of Madras

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GRADUATE DEGREES IN COMMUNICATION AND FINE ARTS

MASTER OF ARTS

The candidates for this degree have majored in art history, communication or journalism.

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B.B.A., 1991, Emory University

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B.A., 1999, The University of Memphis

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Dena Wallis Saulsbury
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Mark Volzer
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MASTER OF FINE ARTS

The candidates for this degree have majored in art or theatre.

James David Morgan
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M.A., 2000, Arkansas State University

Parrish James Morgan
B.S., 1999, Bradley University

Jana Broussard Travis
B.F.A., 1999, The University of Memphis

MASTER OF MUSIC

The candidates for this degree have concentrated in performance, music history, Orff Schulwerk, sacred music, pedagogy, music education, or jazz and studio music.

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Teona Martiashuili
Bachelor's, 1995, Tbilisi State University

Joshua Drew Payne
B.M., 1999, Ouachita Baptist University

Martha Ann Phelps
B.A., 1972, Belmont College

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B.M., 1996, The University of Iowa

GRADUATE DEGREES IN EDUCATION

EDUCATION SPECIALIST

The candidates for this degree have placed emphasis on such areas of study as instruction and curriculum leadership, leadership and policy studies, higher and adult education, counseling and personnel services, school psychology or educational psychology and research.

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B.A., 1989, Memphis State University

Tamara Friends Benton
B.S., 1989, Tennessee State University

Sherri Ann Bernheisel
B.A., 1997, Southern Oregon University

Angela Berry
B.S., 1990, The University of Tennessee at Martin

William L. Bivens
B.A., 1993, David Lipscomb University
M.A., 2000, The University of Memphis

Terri L. Chambers
B.A., 1999, The University of Tennessee

Shannon Renee Christopher
B.A., 1996, The University of Tennessee

Amy Kathleen Cluck
B.A., 1990, Saint Louis University

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B.S.Ed., 1998, The University of Memphis

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B.S.C.J., 1983, The University of Tennessee at Martin

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B.S., 1998, Crichton College

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B.S.C.J., 1993, The University of Tennessee at Martin

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B.A., 1995, The University of Memphis

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B.A., 1994, Memphis State University

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B.B.A., 1988, Middle Tennessee State University

Kimberly Rae Eneks
B.A., 1994, Memphis State University

Tia Feagins
B.S., 2000, Tennessee State University

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B.A., 2000, The University of Arkansas

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B.S., 1996, The University of Memphis

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B.A., 1974, The University of Mississippi

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B.A., 1999, Harding University

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B.A., 1999, Kansas Wesleyan University

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B.A., 1996, Oklahoma City University

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B.B.A., 1997, Dallas Baptist University

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A.A., 1969, Williams Baptist College
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B.A., 1998, The University of Arkansas

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B.A., 1966, Belhaven College

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B.L.S., 1996, The University of Memphis

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B.A., 1996, The University of the South

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B.A., 1986, Memphis State University

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B.A., 1991, The University of Tennessee
M.S.S.W., 1996, The University of Tennessee

Kevin Terron Sanford
B.S., 1996, The University of Tennessee

Dawn A. Sledge
B.A., 1997, Lane College

Zellaery Smith
B.S., 1984, Lane College

Mary Frances Sparkman
B.A., 1968, Gonzaga University
M.A., 1973, William Paterson College

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B.B.A., 1996, The University of Memphis

Angela W. Thornton
B.S.N., 1987, Tennessee State University

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B.B.A., 1994, Arkansas Tech University

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B.A., 1992, Memphis State University

Brenda Faye Washington
B.S., 1997, The University of Tennessee at Chattanooga

Thomas S. White
B.B.A., 1993, The University of Tennessee at Martin

Justin Scott Whitmer
B.A., 1995, Vanderbilt University

Vernola Marie Williams
A.A., 1984, Grambling State University
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Michelle R. Yeager
B.F.A., 2000, The University of Memphis

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MASTER OF SCIENCE

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B.A., 1999, Louisiana State University

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B.S.Ed., 1991, Memphis State University

Bert L. Booker, III
B.S., 2000, Clemson University

Richard L. Brenneman, Jr.
B.A., 1996, The University of Texas at Arlington

Mary L. Brooks
B.S., 1977, LeMoyne-Owen College

Daniel Brown
B.A., 1994, Queens University
B.P.Ed., 1994, Queens University

Keegan Craig Buchanan
B.S., 1999, West Texas A&M University

Robert Sue Buffkins
B.A., 2000, LeMoyne-Owen College

Frankie M. Bunner
B.S.Ed., 1988, Memphis State University

Alexsis L. Caston
B.S., 1992, The University of Southern Mississippi

Brian Gale Clark
B.A., 2000, Wofford College

Hattie Michelle Clark
B.S.Ed., 2001, The University of Memphis

Sandra E. Crotts
B.A., 1995, Ouachita Baptist University

Jami Lea Ernst
B.S., 2001, Baylor University

Jodi Laura Fisher
B.S.Ed., 1999, The University of Memphis

Stephen Read Fuller
B.B.A., 1999, The University of Memphis

Thomas E. Gadberry
B.A.Ed., 1992, The University of Mississippi

Susan June George
B.A., 1999, The University of Brighton

Natalie Timbes Hannah
B.S., 1998, The University of Tennessee at Martin

Derek C. Henson
B.A., 1991, Jackson State University

Travis Richard Jackson Hill
B.A., 1997, The University of Memphis

April Alicia Holland
B.S., 1994, Memphis State University

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B.S., 1994, The University of Memphis

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B.S.B.A., 2001, The University of Tennessee at Martin

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B.S., 1976, David Lipscomb College

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B.S., 2000, The University of Memphis

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B.A., 2001, Rhodes College

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B.S., 1998, Crichton College

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B.B.A., 1997, Austin Peay State University

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B.P.S., 1994, The University of Memphis

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B.A., 1993, Morehouse College

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B.A., 2000, The University of North Carolina at Wilmington

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B.A., 1990, The University of Memphis

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B.S., 1983, Southern University A&M College

Debra Thurman Wright
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GRADUATE DEGREES IN ENGINEERING

MASTER OF SCIENCE

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B.E., 1999, The University of Madras

Yi-Huei Chiu
B.E., 1999, National Taiwan University

Divya Choudhary
B.E., 2000, University of Mumbai

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B.V.S., 1999, Acharya N. G. Ranga Agricultural University

Sridhar Reddy Donthi
B.T., 1999, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University

Praveen Duddu
B.T., 1999, Nagarjuna University

Ravinder R. Dugnoor
B.T., 2000, Kakatiya Institute of Technology & Science

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B.T., 1999, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University

Naveen K. Godavarthi
B.Arch., 1998, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University

Archana Goshike
B.E., 1998, Osmania University

Srinivas Goundla
B.T., 1991, Sri Venkateswara University

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B.S.E.E., 1997, The University of Memphis

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B.T., 1997, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University

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B.S., 1999, Osmania University

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B.T., 2000, Kakatiya Institute of Technology & Science

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B.E., 1998, University of Bombay

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B.T., 1999, Nagarjuna University

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B.E., 2000, Osmania University

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B.E., 2000, Osmania University

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B.E., 1999, Andhra University

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B.E., 1991, Pune University

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B.E., 1998, Gulbarga University

Yuanliang Liu
B.E., 2000, Zhejiang University

Sivaprasad Venkata Mahamkali
B.E., 1999, University of Madras

Suresh Mallempati
B.T., 1999, Osmania University

Sujan Muddasani
B.T., 1999, Nagarjuna University

Suneel Reddy Mundlapudi
B.T., 2000, Sri Venkateswara University

Gayathri Neti
B.E., 1999, Osmania University

Kiran Nibbaragandla
B.E., 2000, Karnatak University

Kiran Nimmagadda
B.T., 1999, Nagarjuna University

Neelima Nittala
B.E., 2000, Osmania University

Leo Old
B.S., 1993, Christian Brothers University

Prasad Venkata Rama Padala
B.T., 1999, Andhra University

Pankaj Padma
B.Arch., 1999, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University

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B.Arch., 1998, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University

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B.E., 2000, Osmania University

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B.E., 1999, Osmania University

Siva Nagaraju Parimi
B.T., 1999, Nagarjuna University

Kalyan Charan Pisupati
B.E., 1999, Andhra University

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B.E., 2000, Osmania University

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B.E., 2000, Osmania University

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B.A., 1982, The University of Utah
B.S.M.E., 1994, The University of Memphis

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B.S.M.E., 1998, The University of Memphis

Benjamin A. Schnitz
B.E., 2000, Vanderbilt University

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B.S., 1999, Rust College

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B.E., 2000, Osmania University

Ruilin Tang
B.E., 1994, Southeast University

Rajani Tenneti
B.E., 2000, Osmania University

Aravind N. Thirumalai
B.E., 1999, Madras University

Anil Kumar Thridandapani
B.E., 1998, Osmania University

Gautam L. Tiruvanallur
B.E., 2000, University of Madras

Raghunandan Upparapalli
B.E., 1998, Osmania University

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B.Arch., 1999, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University

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B.Pharm., 1999, Andhra University

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MASTER OF ARTS IN LIBERAL STUDIES

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Rosie King
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A.A., 1997, Community College of Denver
A.G.S., 1997, Community College of Denver
B.L.S., 2000, The University of Memphis

Barbara Anne Noteboom
B.S., 1986, The Pennsylvania State University

Amy Lin Slezak
B.M., 1998, State University of New York at Fredonia

Latoya Nicole Thomas
B.A., 1998, The University of Memphis

Lisa Parkins White
B.P.S., 1994, The University of Memphis

CECIL C. HUMPHREYS SCHOOL OF LAW

Dean Donald J. Polden, J.D.

The faculty of the School of Law is proud to present for conferral of the Juris Doctor degree the men and women who have successfully met all of the requirements for graduation as established by the School of Law. These graduates are not only prepared to enter into the practice of law at this time, but they are prepared for a lifetime of leadership in the legal profession. The School of Law endeavors to inculcate in each graduate a sense of responsibility to improve the providing of legal services to all persons and segments of society. Above all, the School of Law endeavors to impress upon each graduate the necessity for maintaining high ethical standards which are expected of lawyers in today's society. These graduates are entering a profession that is vital to the preservation of a free and democratic society, and they are well prepared for the challenges that lie ahead.

JURIS DOCTOR

Juanita Richelle Brown
M.B.A., The University of Memphis, 2002
B.B.A., Tennessee State University, 1999

Thelma J. Copeland
B.S., Central Missouri State University, 1974

Kathryn Peterson Demere
B.S., Vanderbilt University, 1998

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B.A., The University of Memphis, 1999

Yolanda Rochelle Kight
B.B.A., LeMoyne-Owen College, 1996

Elizabeth W. McGrath
B.A., The University of Memphis, 1999

Cynthia Makeba Norwood
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B.B.A., Austin Peay State University, 1992

Jason Randall Poyner
B.S., The University of Tennessee, Martin, 1996

Corliss D. Shaw
B.S., Middle Tennessee State University, 1996

THE LOEWENBERG SCHOOL OF NURSING

Dean Toni Bargagliotti, DNSc.

The primary function of the School of Nursing is to offer a program of study designed to prepare students for careers in professional nursing. As a part of a comprehensive university, the School of Nursing is dedicated to the development of scholarship in nursing and to providing services supportive of the institutional mission. The School of Nursing is committed to the following purposes: (1) Provide a curriculum leading to the degree of Bachelor of Science in Nursing essential to beginning professional practice and graduate study in nursing; (2) Promote the intellectual, personal and professional development of students by offering a curriculum which combines a strong liberal education with the professional major; (3) Provide a plan of study with flexible options that are responsive to the individual learner's needs; (4) Encourage the use of opportunities available in a comprehensive university setting to foster values, attitudes and personal qualities essential to living a fulfilling life and contributing to society; (5) Produce graduates who demonstrate competence in conceptual, functional and interpersonal skills basic to beginning professional nursing practice in a variety of settings. (6) Prepare graduates who assume leadership roles to effect change for a healthy society. The program is accredited by the National League of Nursing.

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING

Laura Elaine Lamar, *magna cum laude*
John Robertson, III, *magna cum laude*
Pamela Denise Saulsberry, *magna cum laude*
Brandy Diane Strangfeld, *magna cum laude*

Kimberly Hendrix Cannon, *cum laude*
Shanna Rose Carel, *cum laude*
Jennifer Hatcher Downing, *cum laude*
Monique Shuniell Edmond, *cum laude*
Martha Danielle Gunter, *cum laude*
Kristin Carey Sandefer, *cum laude*

Alicia Rose Barnett
Lisa Ann Merina Bentivogli
Christina Meagan Carden
Charlotte Stephanie Carrodine
Danyel Nicole Chalk
Joy J'Sha Cunningham
Katina Jo Currin
Wendy Sue Doudrick
Vedus Shantell Franklin
Rachel Lynn Goodman
Shayla Denise Green
Rosie Tywanda Harris
Vicky D. Haywood
Tameka Lashay Jones
Janye Marie Long
Kevin Patrick Reed
Margaret Elizabeth Schmitz
Melissa Michelle Shoaff
Natalie Olivia Wade
Stacy Le'ta Woodard

THE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE

Vice Provost for Extended Programs and Dean Dan L.Lattimore, Ph.D.

As The University of Memphis' college of lifelong learning, University College works with students on the development and completion of individualized and interdisciplinary degree programs. Through its Division of Bornblum Judaic Studies, it offers a minor and a baccalaureate concentration in the rich intellectual and cultural traditions of the Jewish people, within the contexts of world cultures. Through its Division of Paralegal Studies, it offers a Professional Core Curriculum and a baccalaureate concentration in Paralegal Services. Through its Division of Baccalaureate Programs, it offers a wide variety of interdisciplinary concentrations and individualized degree opportunities leading to the Bachelor of Professional Studies and the Bachelor of Liberal Studies. Through its Division of Graduate Studies, it offers the interdisciplinary Master of Arts in Liberal Studies.

BACHELOR OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

Richard Allen Frederick, Jr., *summa cum laude*

Robert Paul Bush, *cum laude*

Rebekah Clair Sumrall, *summa cum laude*

Meghan R. Boyle, *magna cum laude*

Jeanette Hobson Jumper, *magna cum laude*

Christina Marie Pauline, *magna cum laude*

Belinda Ruth Cochran, *magna cum laude*

Ben F. Hudgens, Jr., *cum laude*

Mary Herder Iberg, *cum laude*

Karl Dodai Young, *cum laude*

Lisa Carol Aeschliman
Heidi A. Bildrback
Paul Kirk Barkley
Robert Anthony Brown
Lisa M. Chibbaro
Natalie Camille Crocker
Vicki Dabney
Christopher Henry Earl
Kristie L. Garner
James R. Griffin
Darryl Dondra Halley
Sherry Denise Hampton
Linda McBee Heitzman
George Willie Holman, Jr.
Timm Alan Jobes
Emory Jarrod Johnson
Eva Rose Jones
Margaret A. Jones
Wade Pearce Jones
Jeremy Brian Jones
Christopher Alan Kellum
Jason Grant Kennedy
Nicholas Cole Maness
Tabitha McGuire
Gwendolyn Dianne McCarroll
Frederick Jack Monachelli
LaDonna Faye Morris
Brenda C. Page
Kari Griffin Petree
Charlene Redmond Pitre
Bryan Kirk Porter
Todd L. Pricer
Dana Valenda Rice
Marcus Wendell Robinson
Sarah O'Neal Roy
Lisa Ann Rush
Jason Lee Sanders
Nishith Pradeep Trivedi
Mark Thomas Twombly
Rachel Leigh Williamson
Kevin Andrew Zubrod

BACHELOR OF LIBERAL STUDIES

Dale L. Anderson, *cum laude*

Adam A. Gintz III

Brandon J. Hutchinson

Tamara Michelle Patton

THE HERFF COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

Dean Richard C. Warder, Jr., Ph.D.

The mission of the College of Engineering is: to provide quality education, research, and service that responds to the needs and challenges of the Mid-South region; to promote the knowledge, skills, ethics, creativity, and critical thinking necessary for professional competence and lifelong learning, including an international perspective and a social awareness and to conduct quality scholarship and research across the College, including world-class reaearch in selected areas. The following are the degrees offered with the appropriate concentrations within the respective areas:

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CIVIL ENGINEERING

Benjamin Grant Shelton, *magna cum laude*

Leon M. Burroughs
Said Fathy El Said
Steve Ross Hooper
Randall King Tatum
Dick Baiza Reyes

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN COMPUTER ENGINEERING

Cuong Le, *summa cum laude*

Brian Matthew Bockhold, *magna cum laude*

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING

Madiagne Ngom, *magna cum laude*
Michael Dale Pandolf, *magna cum laude*

Matthew Adegboyega Igbalajobi, *cum laude*
John Michael Tippitt, *cum laude*

Pierre Alexandre Boheme
Kara D. Mangrum
Dionysos Raphael Miller
Yolanda Chevette Ross
Corlis Michelle Saadbouh

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN INDUSTRIAL AND SYSTEMS ENGINEERING

Aaron Brooks Harris

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

Darren Thomas Bevard, *summa cum laude*
(with University Honors)
(with Honors in Mechanical Engineering)
William Bedford Davis, *cum laude*

David Black
Jeremy Edward Daugherty
Do Tu Nguyen
Tanara Lajeana Teal

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY

Rockey Anthony Copeland, magna cum laude
Douglas Gregory Denton, magna cum laude
Phillip Gregory McQuirter, magna cum laude
Roger Dale Pyron, magna cum laude

Daksh Bharat Chauhan, cum laude

David Glennon Anderson
Lang Minh Cao
Bradley Lynn Dacus, Jr.
James Robert Fly

Matthew Daniel Hascher
John H. Hurdle
Don E. Ingham
Meredith LaUna Lee

Wendy Michelle Ragle, magna cum laude
Heather Anne Reeves, magna cum laude
Christopher Blake Wilson, magna cum laude

Demetre C. Harris, cum laude

Michael Eugene Lewis
Jonathan M. Thomas
James Hubert Whitehead

THE COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

Dean Ric A. Hovda, Ph.D.

The College of Education pursues six stated goals. One goal is "to provide preparation programs that produce teachers and certain other professional personnel sufficient in quantity and competence to help meet the needs of the state, region, and nation."

Undergraduate programs provided by the College of Education lead to the Bachelor of Science in Education.

Degree programs consist of three basic components. General Education courses comprise approximately 45% of each degree program. Professional courses make up from 25% to 40% of the total requirements, depending on the particular program followed. The remaining portion is used to develop one or more specializations.

In addition to prescribed courses, graduates of the various degree programs are required to meet criteria related to personal and professional fitness for their chosen careers. Field-based laboratory experiences are included in all teacher preparation programs in the College.

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN EDUCATION

Anna Marie Corcoran, *summa cum laude*
Amanda Jayne Fowler, *summa cum laude*
Toni Janel McCray, *summa cum laude*
Laura Lynne Shields, *summa cum laude*

Jennifer Nicole Adams, *magna cum laude*
Jamie Maria Browning, *magna cum laude*
Elizabeth Ann Driver, *magna cum laude*
Virginia Hope Feltus, *magna cum laude*
Angela Renee Glass, *magna cum laude*
Heather Michelle King, *magna cum laude*
Dawn Martin, *magna cum laude*
Michelle Ann Meduri, *magna cum laude*
Melissa Diane Millican, *magna cum laude*
Stephen Emery Norris, *magna cum laude*
Kelly Ray Poindexter, *magna cum laude*
Vicki Preyer, *magna cum laude*
Toni Stratton Scott, *magna cum laude*

Kelly Marie Carroll-Copeland, *cum laude*
Laura A Kilp, *cum laude*
Elizabeth Brooke London, *cum laude*
Melinda Sue Norris, *cum laude*
Darlene Michelle Richardson, *cum laude*
Emily Graham Smith, *cum laude*
Terra Reneé Stigger, *cum laude*
Neil Allen Weaver, *cum laude*
Calandra EarVan White, *cum laude*

Leigh Anne Adams
Dipo Abiola Akin Deko
Jessica Lee Akin
Stephanie Rochelle Anderson
Deadra Dill Arthur
Andrea Marchelle Bailey
Margaret Ayers Bender
Jennifer Cheryl Blassingame
Ashley Brooke Bradford
Chris Lamar Brice
Sherry Treece Brown
Michael Dane Burchett
Amanda Leigh Burlison
Terica Elaine Butler
Pasha Nicole Cook
Jennifer Pauline Coudriet
Kori Jermain Daniels
Joyce Danielle Davis
Erika Leigh Wrona Dubinsky
Sarah Elizabeth Dunavant
Emily Maria Eichmann
Robert Vincent Gala
Mary Ellen Grannan
Melissa Diane Green
Andrea Kay Gregory
Jonathan Patrick Grizzle
Kimberly DeShay Andersen Grosvenor
Gina Marie Guay
Robert Tate Hansom
Sandra Lawton Hogue
April L Honeycutt
Renee L Hounsell
Sherry Lynn Harris Howard
Amanda Claire Howell
Katara Evonne Jackson
Jeffrey Charles Johnson
Jane Cherry Lackey
Natasha LaShaun Langford
Melissa Jo Leek
Gina Hopkins Lester
Rachel Ann Linz
William D Maddox
Karmeta Sherritta Mallory
Andrea Irene Martre
Marcus C Mason
Matthew Brian McCormick
James M McDaniel
Bethany Michele McDowell
Rachel Lynn Melton
Sandra Denece Muston
Jamie Leigh Noah
Lorrie A Pomeroy
Angela Brook Prieb
Lee Petro Raney
Joshua Lee Robinson
Nikki Lynn Russell
Anne Marie Scott
Brian David Scott
Mary Alice McIntyre Scott
Garey W Shirley
Denise Darcel Smith
Sandra H Spencer
Amanda Michelle Steger
Kimberly Gail Swinger
Emily O Timbes
Lisa Marie Tockey
Kevin Michael Weaver
Victoria Naomi White
Jessica Wellons Williams
Patricia Waters Williamson
Marixa Jaquay Wilson

THE COLLEGE OF COMMUNICATION AND FINE ARTS

Dean Richard R. Ranta, Ph.D.

The College of Communication and Fine Arts is ultimately centered on visual and audible symbols whose rational and emotional values it is the mission of the College to create and explore. In the belief that perception is largely shaped by experience, the College of Communication and Fine Arts offers a range of symbolically rendered experiences, both individual and collective, in the hope of broadening and sensitizing the perceptions of its students.

Through its various professional courses of study, it prepares students to work toward careers in the fine or applied arts, communication, or the performing arts, whether as practitioners, teachers, artists, or consultants. The College offers three degrees by which to accomplish its purposes:

BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS

Candidates for this professional degree have majored in architecture; or art with concentrations in either art education; graphic design; interior design; ceramics, painting, sculpture, and printmaking; or photography; or theatre and dance with concentrations in either performance, design and technical production or dance. These graduates have been provided with greater opportunities for specialized study in their chosen field than could be possible under other baccalaureate programs.

Kathryn Brooke Fleer, *summa cum laude*

Amber Psalm Christensen, *cum laude*
Michael Ahmed Stone, *cum laude*

Kathryn Christison Ballard
Christy Leigh Burns
Krissi Sharee Cain
Michael Jeffery Carpenter
Nathan Joseph Hiller
Jennifer Nichole Jones
Meredith LaUna Lee
James Kenneth Markin
Elizabeth Danielle Owens
Lindsay Christina Nero
Cheryl Lynne Smith
Joe Franklin Tetleton
Ashley Temple Wilemon
Jennifer Ann Wilmoth

BACHELOR OF MUSIC

Candidates for this professional degree have majored in music with concentrations in performance; sacred music; composition; music history; or school music; jazz and studio performance or jazz and studio composition/arranging or in music industry with concentrations in music business, and recording technology. These graduates have been provided with a greater opportunity for specialized study in a field of music than would be possible under other baccalaureate programs.

Tyson J. Biornstad, *summa cum laude*
(with University Honors)
Amanda Frances Martens, *summa cum laude*

Ashley Singleton Reding, *magna cum laude*
Willinda Michelle Watkins, *magna cum laude*

Mary Elizabeth Duke Page, *cum laude*
Megan Elise White, *cum laude*

Christopher Silvio Albonetti
Daphne Vincent Bell
Michael Hampton Burkey
Ben Gabriel Diles

BACHELOR OF ARTS

Candidates for the oldest of the traditional baccalaureate degrees are students who have majored in art history; journalism with concentrations in either advertising, broadcast news, public relations, internet journalism or newspaper/magazine; or communication with concentrations in broadcast and electronic media, communication, or film and video production.

Elin Linnéa Eriksson, *summa cum laude*
Kelly Elizabeth North, *summa cum laude*
Sheryl Perolina Umayam, *summa cum laude*
Allison Hope Urschel, *summa cum laude*

Abigail L. More, *magna cum laude*
Leah Kate Nichols, *magna cum laude*
Shannon Marie Redmond, *magna cum laude*
Angelique Katharine Cooke Stephens, *magna cum laude*

Aaron Weiger Bos, *cum laude*
Ricardo A. Cardenas, *cum laude*
Naomi Anne Fair, *cum laude*
Mia Ann Heaston, *cum laude*
Rebekah Louise Henderson, *cum laude*
Lindsey Miller Massey, *cum laude*
Andrew Edgar Meek, *cum laude*
Stephanie Nicole Mitchell, *cum laude*
Jacqueline Jarrett Rucker, *cum laude*

Brianne Nichole Alley
Talene Elzabeth Adnderson
Fredrick Samuel Barrett
Richard Batt Jr.
Kate Murphree Baumann
Rachel Elizabeth Bratko
Jeffrey Thomas Bryant
Jennifer Marie Cheston
Christiana Gaye Coleman
Jecarlos D. T. Crockam
Lindsay Meredith Daniel
Melissa Alyson Diaz
Erik Elbert Edmonds
Bernice Penny Egel
Darché D. Epting
William Vernon Ferrell, Jr.
Merideth Cessna Flatt
Charlene Johnette Gilmore
Stephanie Dawn Harrison
Summer Lynn Holbrook
Tiffany Evette Holman
Sheree Gaines Hudgins
Jeff James Hulett
Deloria Jean Irving
Edward Clay Jenkins, Jr.
Chris Belmont Jolly
Donald G. Juengling
Emily Joan Kidwell
Robin Joy Krause
Justin Davis Larrabee
Alexis Eleanor Luttrell
Nina Ayesha Lyles
Philip John McLendon
Joshua Clifton Meeks
Nicole Vantrese Moore
Charissa Dionne Muston
Louis Michael O'Kelly
Candace Maria Pitmon
Joseph David Powell
Jamila S. Rushén Savage
Laura Nicole Schwindt
LaRonda Y. Simmons
John Thomas Stacy
Stephanie Chévon Swanigan
Timothy O'Neal Swift
Marcie Erin Tebben
Martrek DeShunn Wingo

THE FOGELMAN COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS

Dean John J. Pepin, Ph.D.

The Fogelman College of Business and Economics offers a comprehensive undergraduate degree, the Bachelor of Business Administration degree. The goal of the undergraduate program of the Fogelman College of Business and Economics is to provide the basic education needed to prepare a person to enter the field of business and to move rapidly from an entry level position into a managerial position.

We believe the curriculum that best accomplishes this goal consists of four components. First, a broad foundation of course work is provided in the liberal arts and sciences. At least 40 percent of the work taken by each student in the Fogelman College of Business and Economics is in the humanities, the social sciences, the natural and physical sciences, communications, and mathematics.

Second, the curriculum includes a significant amount of study of the economic and legal environment of business and introduces each of the major functional fields of business-management information systems, accounting, finance, management, and marketing.

Third, the curriculum provides for a choice of a major by the student. The student is permitted to select a major from accounting, business economics, finance, risk management and insurance, real estate, management, management information systems, production operations management, marketing management, sales, logistics marketing and international business.

Fourth, the Bachelor of Business Administration curriculum provides students with a number of open electives. Through these electives, the student may select courses particularly suited to her or his own interests, thus providing an opportunity for the student to pursue in greater breadth and depth the study of business or related fields.

BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Troy Dale Davis, *summa cum laude*
Anthony DiBenedetto, *summa cum laude*
Selena Camille Edwards, *summa cum laude*
Michael Joseph LaHaie, *summa cum laude*
Jessica Leigh May, *summa cum laude*
Megan R. Tucker, *summa cum laude*

Elizabeth Megan Bemis, *magna cum laude*
William Christopher Donofrio, *magna cum laude*
Kelly Jo Hawkins, *magna cum laude*
David Stephen Haynes, *magna cum laude*
Sandra Kristina Hellsvik, *magna cum laude*
Bradley James Jantz, *magna cum laude*
Jennifer Jill Joyner, *magna cum laude*
Zaffrenarda LaMechi King, *magna cum laude*
Jerome Lyn McCleskey, *magna cum laude*
Reginald Bernard McClain, *magna cum laude*
Janna Hope Purcell, *magna cum laude*
Lijun Ren, *magna cum laude*
Matthew Allmond Riggan, *magna cum laude*
Nicholas Adam Steht, *magna cum laude*
Leslie Gail Whitehead, *magna cum laude*
Tracey Ann Williams, *magna cum laude*
Amanda Weatherford Youmans, *magna cum laude*

Erin Elizabeth Asbell, *cum laude*
Candace Leigh Barker, *cum laude*
Jonathan James Brown, *cum laude*
Chad Aaron Cardwell, *cum laude*
Heather Denese Carpenter, *cum laude*
Lee Michael Charnow, *cum laude*
Roumen Ivanov Denkov, *cum laude*
Amanda Clair Edmundson, *cum laude*
Brandon Edward Favazza, *cum laude*
Alicia Denise Fowler, *cum laude*
Julian Bryant Hill III, *cum laude*
William Ralph Hoover II, *cum laude*
Myles Sean Lavelle, *cum laude*
Tuan Le, *cum laude*
Mark Adrian McGarrity, *cum laude*
Marsha Ann McKay, *cum laude*
Leila T. Moghim, *cum laude*
Robert Tanner Newton, *cum laude*
Shallyn Yonnaye Northern, *cum laude*
(with University Honors)
Trisha I. Patel, *cum laude*
Jeffrey Alan Pittman, *cum laude*
Jennifer Lynn Poleski, *cum laude*
Kristen Anne Riley, *cum laude*
Alana Diane Rose, *cum laude*
Holly Jerree Rounds, *cum laude*
Otilia Anjaleigh Simmons, *cum laude*
Michael James Thompson, *cum laude*
Shah Jehan Zada, *cum laude*

BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION *(continued)*

Christy Marie Adair
Jeffery David Allen
Alma L. Arenillas
Laura Phillips Armstrong
Justin Lee Atkins
Nakia L. Baker
Joseph Michael Baldwin
John C. Barnes
Tracie Mechelle Barnett
Jason Wayne Bennett
Michael Sean Bivins
Jerald Duron Blackman
Mary T. Bonner
Paul Michael Boston Jr.
Stuart Marshall Boyd
Tamika NaToye Brimmer
April Dawn Britt
Jeffrey Adam Cameron
LeAnn Cary
Michael Peel Chamberlain
Hsin-hui Chiu
Won Jin Choe
Roufkat Chouyouti
Amy Parker Churchwell
Jennifer F. Coleman
Christina Ann Collins
Gregory Michael Cook
Jay Stephen Cooley
Robert Leif Craig
Stephanie D. Crane-Sampson
Charles Lawson Culver
Jason Lawrence Cutter
Shunta Latossa Daniels
Jeffrey Lawson Davis
David Craig DeCrow
Rupesh Desai
LaSaundra Denise Drane
Karen Lynn Eddington
April Nichol Everhart
Jennifer Jayne Fato
Robin Michelle Fauser
Isaac LeMoyne Fisher
Patrick Morey Foley
Michael Patrick Fountain
Derichia Chawnta Frison
Jeremy L. German
Faith Gill
Timothy Douglas Gilland
Debra Hall Gingery
Kharlen S. Goodwin
Santrese Denise Gray
Lisa DeAngelo Green
Angela Dillon Gregory
Sarah E. Griffin
Tanzania D. Harris
Laren Denise Hart
Elizabeth A. Hawker
Eugene Thomas Hays
Christopher Tate Henson
Chandra Latrece Hester
Iexsheev Peterson Hickman
Eric Jon Hinderhofer
Rachel Kanisha Hooks
Sam Michael Hughes
David Allen Jackson
Shanda Leann Jackson
Millicent Danielle Johnson
Rhonda Jane Johnson
Kisha Jones
Matthew Lee Joyner
Mona Iqbal Khan
Heajin Kim
Lolita Marie King
David Brinson Kuehner
David Jude LaPaglia
Craig J. Lawson
Daryl Leake
Matthew Louis Ledbetter
Frederick C. Lee
Sophia Yun Lee
Vernesler Shirley Lewis
Steven Cornelius Lockhart
Jennifer Aris Renee Love
Charles Frederick Luckett
Gerthania Rasheedah Luckey
Noel Eustaquio Lumabas
Richard Leatherman Magevney Jr.
Richard John Magney
Summer Alissa Martin
Amber Michelle Martindale
Kandra T. McBride
Damon M. McKay
Curtis M. Moore
Jennifer Leigh Moore
Kimberly Evette Morrow
Kerwin Omar Myers
Nelius Wangui Njuguna
Alisha Diane Norton
Detrick Lavar Kewoskey Osler
Justin David Ottinger
Toya Canise Parks
Brian Manning Patterson
Jonathan Gary Patterson
Timothy Andrew Patterson
Kevin Michael Pease
Diona Nicole Phillips
Laurel Freeman Pinner
Clarence Allen Powell Sr.
Pamela Devet Prater
David McClain Raffety
Bryan Everett Ratcliff
Chandra Marie Ray
Paul Armin Reuer
Odalis Y Richiez Perez
Tracey Lynn Rivers
Brandon Patrick Roby
Mowbray Marvette Rowand
James Eliot Rudolph
William C. Rutter
Shana T. Settles
Brumell L. Shelby
LaTebony Gilanda Simmons
Frank Barrett Smith
Hugh Dorsey Smith Jr.
Julie Ann Smith
Lang Stallworth Smith
Stacie Dean Stambaugh
Carl J. Stokes
Casie Michele Stokes
Justin Allan Stovall
Brian Hamilton Stuart
Nicole Denise Tard
Lydiah A. Tate
Justin Michael Taylor
Jason Douglas Terrell
Monica Annette Terrell
JoAnna Lanece Terry
Antoine Edmond Thibault
Daniel Grove Thompson
Hanny Thi Vo
Andre Ceslon Wallace
ChaoYu Wang
Nathan Clark Washington
Shoni Lynne Watson
Cynthia Marie Wesley
Benjamin Harold Wheeler
Jessica Brooke Whittington
Deborah Denise Wilbour Williams
Shana M. Williams
Kandace Kali Williamson
Marciella Evette Wordlaw
Kevin LaShun Wren
Victoria Lynne Wright
Kevin Wade Yeager *(Posthumous)*

THE COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Dean Henry A. Kurtz, Ph.D.

The aims and purposes of The College of Arts and Sciences are summarized in these words that serve as part of our official statement in the catalog issue of the University Bulletin: "The program of liberal studies aims (1) to provide students with a store of factual knowledge; (2) to introduce them to varying sets of principles; (3) to stimulate them to think about and to evaluate these facts and principles; and (4) to encourage them to order their own affairs and those of society with the talent, insight, and discrimination which they develop." We have been privileged to pursue these aims with the following students who are candidates for the five degrees which we offer:

BACHELOR OF ARTS

Reza Ahmadian, *summa cum laude*
Brenda Gail Gilman, *summa cum laude*
Chad Edward Krisak, *summa cum laude*
Brian Paul Matochik, *summa cum laude*
Jonathan Patrick Overly, *summa cum laude*
Gregory David Scott, *summa cum laude*
Catherine Elizabeth Wallace, *summa cum laude*

Lindsay Nicole Baratti, *magna cum laude*
Beverly Diane Brittmon, *magna cum laude*
Elizabeth Ruth Carter, *magna cum laude*
William Nathan Carter, *magna cum laude*
Alanna Rosalind D'Angelo, *magna cum laude*
Frances Kung Daniel, *magna cum laude*
Jonathan Patrick Driskell, *magna cum laude*
Christopher K. Ellis, *magna cum laude*
Sarah Elizabeth Garland, *magna cum laude*
Heather Virginia Gray, *magna cum laude*
Heather Elise Grosshans, *magna cum laude*
Amy Nichol Jellison, *magna cum laude*
Meghan Elizabeth Julian, *magna cum laude*
Matthew Wayne Presley, *magna cum laude*
Brandi Alyse Rossi, *magna cum laude*
Drew Garrett Russell, *magna cum laude*
Jana Michelle Sterling, *magna cum laude*
Corey Deanne Sneed, *magna cum laude*
Leslie Combs Stalls, *magna cum laude*
John Frank Steele, *magna cum laude*
Joy Chanelle Tolbert, *magna cum laude*

Khalif Abdur-Rasheed, *cum laude*
Myles Hill Baer, *cum laude*
Sarah Clare Dickson, *cum laude*
Terra Renee Everett, *cum laude*
Naomi Anne Fair, *cum laude*
Yulonda Evette Gatewood, *cum laude*
Michael Joseph Gonitzke, *cum laude*
Kelly Eileen Goodwin, *cum laude*
William Harvey Hill Jr., *cum laude*
Chett Wayne Hopper, *cum laude*
Ashley Brooke Howell, *cum laude*
Alicia Joyce Johnson, *cum laude*
Kimberly Ann Kendall, *cum laude*
Andrea Kathryn Kerr, *cum laude*
Dabney T. Langellier, *cum laude*
Michael John Maggipinto, *cum laude*
Katrina Don McKinney, *cum laude*
James Robert Moseley, *cum laude*
Emily Diane Palazolo, *cum laude*
Heather Hunter Randolph, *cum laude*
Sam Katz Reese, *cum laude*
Jody Bucannon Riser, *cum laude*
Christopher Michael Robbins, *cum laude*
(with University Honors)
Luke Anthony Sauber, *cum laude*
Jennifer Leigh Sewell, *cum laude*
Timkiya DeSha Taylor, *cum laude*
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Alana Nichole Brown
Kimberly Elaine Brown
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William Joseph Childress
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John Jason Durfee
Lakeisha Rochelle Edwards
Sonya Elizabeth English
Adrianne Leticia Fisher
Jennifer Louise Fowler
Clay Anderson Fuller
Kristi Faye Galligher
Kenneth Collins Gibbs
Emily Hammond Gorglione
Vanessa Latoya Gray
Amanda Lee Green
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Ashley C. Harris
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Kensha Monique Heier
Kendrah Faith Hewitt
Christina Marie Horne
Anita Yvette Irons
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Tereasa Michelle Jones
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Tanisha Renee Lamb
Franchesca DeVon Lane
LaShundra Monique Lewis
Pamela Yvonne Lewis
Nicole Lynn Lodyga
Scott Lamar Lyon
Gilia Esther Maldonado
Shelbra Dana Malone
Robynn Garrick Matthews
Susan S. McGhee
Lance Dallas McKee
Robert Charles McKenzie
Dana Suzanne McLure
Ashley Sabol McNeese
KraShondria Tekelya McNutt
Debriel Lashawn McPhee
William Harley Melton
Samantha Kay Mickens
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Bryan Douglas Moultrie
Gina Shefaqua Nelson
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Lori Allison Schaeffer
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Corey Ray Smithmier
Tiffany Nicole Sparks
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BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

The Bachelor of Science is the degree awarded to those students who complete majors in one or more of the natural, physical, or social sciences:

Charles Henry Thibault, *summa cum laude*

Elizabeth Ruth Carter, *magna cum laude*
Christopher Michael Cox, *magna cum laude*
Andrea Tanyel Fant, *magna cum laude*
Johnny A. Giles, *magna cum laude*
(with University Honors)
Jennifer Dannette Shepherd, *magna cum laude*
Michael James Whittenburg, *magna cum laude*

Lakesha Deshun Armfield, *cum laude*
Yulonda Evette Gatewood, *cum laude*
Emily Christine Greer, *cum laude*
Richard Lee Tanner, *cum laude*

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Kimberly Renee Bean
Brian Thomas Boals
Erica Nicole Bond
Andrew Kirk Corbin
Eric Crosby Epps
Michael Matthew Farrell
Maia Briana Ferguson
Cheryl Denise Givens
Draper A. Hall
Suzanna Lyn Hess
Andria LaShun Hunt
Awaz Adnan Jan
Kennedy Spellman Johnson
Patrick Levon Johnson
James Clayton Keller, III
Mee Ann Lam
Erica Nicole Mayes
Eric Keith McNutt
Huda Ismail Najar
Shawn Robert O'Connor
Joshua Lawrence Padgett
Angela T. Polk
Virginia Leigh Richardson
Melissa Lynnette Riley
Jeremy Keith Royster
Jaclyn Leigh Smith
Laura Ann Smith
Robert David Traxler
Wesley Chadwick Truitt
Maurice Latrez Tucker
Vuong K. Vo
Matthew Lewis White
Ming Chuen Wong

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CHEMISTRY

The Bachelor of Science in Chemistry is the degree awarded to those students who complete majors in one or more of the natural, physical, or social sciences:

Johnny A. Giles, *magna cum laude*
(with University Honors)

THE DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY SCIENCE
ARMY ROTC BATTALION
CANDIDATES FOR ARMY COMMISSION

The Army ROTC Department of Military Science offers a two-year and a four-year program for study in leadership and management leading to a commission as a Second Lieutenant in either the regular Army, the National Guard, or the Army Reserves. These programs are open to men and women.

The *four-year program* consists of the Basic Course, normally the Freshman and Sophomore years, and the Advanced Course, normally the Junior and Senior years. The Basic Course prepares students for the Advanced Course and provides an education in citizenship, basic leadership, management skills, and enrichment experiences required to become an effective junior officer. The student learns about the wide range of Army career specialities. Advanced Course students normally attend a six-week leadership practicum called National Advanced Leadership Course between their Junior and Senior level of the Advanced Course. This camp is conducted at Fort Lewis, Washington. Students are provided uniforms, room and board, medical care, travel to and from camp, and are paid approximately one-half the pay of a second lieutenant while in camp.

The *two-year program* consists of the Advanced Course only. Selected students may qualify for entry into the two-year program at the Advanced Course level by completing a challenging six-weeks basic leadership experience during the summer at Fort Knox, Kentucky, called the Leaders Training course. Veterans, National Guard or Army Reserve personnel and students who have completed 3 or more years of Junior ROTC may also qualify for advanced placement into the Advanced Course.

In addition to courses offered for academic credit, the Military Science program sponsors extracurricular activities. The Tiger Ranger Company and Color Guard are open to all Army ROTC students.

Students are eligible to participate in Army ROTC sponsored activities held throughout the school year. These challenging adventure activities include backpacking, field training, mountaineering, rappelling, land navigation, orienteering, and survival training.

Second Lieutenant Joy Chanelle Tolbert, *magna cum laude*

Second Lieutenant Angelique K. C. Stephens, *magna cum laude*

THE DEPARTMENT OF NAVAL SCIENCE
NAVAL ROTC UNIT
CANDIDATES FOR NAVY & MARINE CORPS COMMISSION

The Department of Naval Science provides a four-year and a two-year program of instruction leading to a commission as an officer in the United States Naval Reserve or Marine Corps Reserves. The program is voluntary and students may withdraw from the program at any time during their freshman year. At the start of the sophomore year, scholarship students enter into an agreement with the Department of the Navy that specifies active duty service after college work is completed. These programs are open to men and women.

The four-year program is geared to students who enter the NROTC program as freshmen. Students are introduced to the field of naval science, which encompasses a broad variety of subjects ranging from basic seamanship to fleet operations. Topics covered during the first half of the four-year program include principles of naval ships systems, naval weaponry, seapower, and maritime affairs. The second half (junior and senior years) is devoted to navigation and naval operations, naval leadership and management and, for Marine option students, amphibious warfare and a study of warfare through the ages. Six-week summer training cruises are also part of the naval science program. While participating in summer training, students receive per diem and are provided room, board, medical care, and travel to and from training.

The two-year program is offered to upper-level students only. Students apply for enrollment through the Professor of Naval Science before the spring semester of their sophomore year. Following acceptance, students attend the six-week Naval Science Institute in Newport, Rhode Island, during the summer between the sophomore and junior years. Upon return to campus, students are enrolled in the NROTC program and participate as regular scholarship students.

Upon graduation and completion of the Naval ROTC Program, midshipmen are commissioned as Ensigns in the United States Naval Reserves or Second Lieutenants in the Marine Corps Reserves and execute their active duty service agreements.

Second Lieutenant Zaffrenarda Lamechi King, USMC, *magna cum laude*

Second Lieutenant Myles Hill Baer, USMC, *cum laude*

THE UNIVERSITY OF MEMPHIS SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Pu-Qi Jiang, *Music Director*
Tom Rimes, *Assistant Conductor*

ENSEMBLE PERSONNEL

First Violin
Dan Gilbert, *Concertmaster*
Min ah Lee, *Associate Concertmaster*
Mi Young Kim, *Assistant Concertmaster*
Becca Tucker, *Assistant Concertmaster*
Marcy Jedlicka
Kristina Johnson
Lane Pellew
Leah Thomas

Second Violin
Erin Hamilton, *Principal*
Sarah Mitchell, *Assistant Principal*
Tom Bridgewater
Jonathan Chu
William Connor
Rebecca Goodrum
Tida Tongumpun

Viola
Michael Barar, *Principal*
Rebecca Kletzker, *Assistant Principal*
Meghan Ayers
David Koehn
Jason Milton
Heather Owens
Joanna Pate

Violoncello
Jamie Stephens, *Principal*
Stephen Short, *Co-Principal*
Joshua Keller
Najeeb Sabour

Contra Bass
Kara Koehn, *Principal*
David Fihn
Jeff Rakestraw
Andrew Simons
Olusola Tribble

Harp
Martha Ann Phelps

Flute/Piccolo
Alfonsina Calderon, *Principal*
Han Chang
Myung Kim
Rosa Vidro

Oboe
Andrea Gross, *Principal*
Ray Curle
Sarah Wolf

Clarinet*
Rose Vidro
London Shavers

Bassoon*
Jamie Sinatra, *Principal*
James Keel Williams

Contrabassoon
Douglas Sternes

Horn
Amy Assad, *Principal*
Christina Cupples
Virginia Cupples
Walter Sticht
Bethany Wayer

Trumpet
Jeff James, *Principal*
Marty Bishop, *Co-Principal*
Jason Hackley
Brandon Potts

Trombone
Jason Schmidt, *Principal*
Matt May

Bass Trombone
Jake Brumbaugh

Tuba
Jared Ross

Percussion*
James Babb
Will Neely
Blake Powers
Scott Parker

**Denotes section with rotating seating.*

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The University of Memphis is an Equal Opportunity / Affirmative Action University. It is committed to education of a non-racially identifiable student body.

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NATIONAL ANTHEM

Oh, say can you see by the dawn's early light
What so proudly we hail'd at the twilight's last gleaming,
Whose broad stripes and bright stars through the perilous fight
O'er the ramparts we watch'd were so gallantly streaming?
And the rockets' red glare, the bombs bursting in air,
Gave proof through the night that our flag was still there.
Oh, say does that star-spangled banner yet wave
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?

ALMA MATER

Stand firm, O Alma Mater,
Through all the years to come;
In days of youth and beauty
Thy halls have been our home.
In time of preparation
Great lessons didst thou teach
Til now, O Alma Mater,
The stars we'll strive to reach.

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The University of Memphis Enriches the Memphis Economy

"Every Great City Needs a Great University."
Business Perspectives, Spring 2001

THE UNIVERSITY OF MEMPHIS enriches the Memphis economy in a multitude of ways. Through its teaching mission, the university creates opportunities for students to learn productive skills that are transferred to the labor market. Through its research mission, the university contributes to a vast array of cutting-edge intellectual and commercial endeavors. Through its service mission the university adds substance to many facets of life in the community (see Figure 1). The contributions of the university are difficult to separate from the diverse activities which make Memphis and the Mid-South great. The university is an integral part of the fabric of the community. Through its partnerships and contributions, the University of Memphis plays a major role in determining the strength and vitality of Memphis and the Mid-South. When the university ascends, the community ascends, and when it falters, the community falters. When a budget crisis strikes the university, its impact can be felt throughout the community.

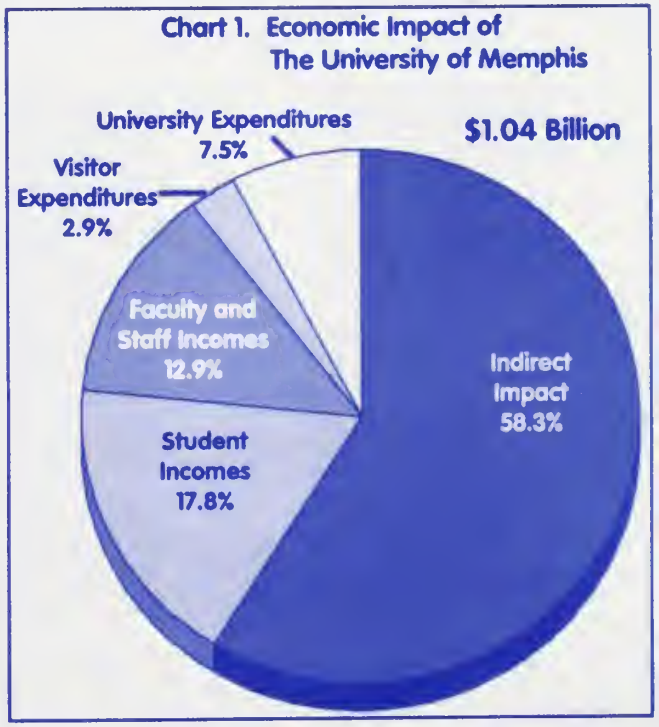
The University makes major contributions to the economic success of the city. Researchers at the university's Bureau of Business and Economic Research report that the university is responsible for more than $1.04 billion in economic activity—directly or indirectly—in the Memphis area (see Chart 1). Male and female university graduates typically earn $3.7 million and $1.9 million respectively over a standard work life. This is nearly $1.9 million and $864,000 more than male and female high school graduates make during a lifetime of work. Over a lifetime, an advanced degree-holding male will earn $6.2 million and pay over $341,000 in state taxes while a female will earn $3.4 million and pay $187,000 in state taxes. In addition, unemployment rates for college graduates rarely rise above 2.0 percent, while unemployment rates for high school graduates frequently exceed 6.0 percent. With over 36,000 University of Memphis graduates living in Shelby county, it is easy to see that they will contribute over $50 billion to the Memphis community over their work lives.

In addition, the university has approximately 2,500 employees with salaries totaling in excess of $130 million. That $130 million makes a major contribution to the economic strength of many Memphis-area businesses. With nearly 20,000 students enrolled, they generate another $190 million in earnings from full-time and part-time employment. Like the university faculty and staff, a substantial percentage of the income generated by the students is returned to the economy of the Mid-South. ▲

FIGURE 1. THE ARRAY OF HIGHER EDUCATION BENEFITS

Public	Private
➤ Increased Tax Revenues	➤ Higher Salaries and Benefits
➤ Greater Productivity	➤ Employment
➤ Increased Consumption	➤ Higher Savings Levels
➤ Increased Workforce Flexibility	➤ Improved Working Conditions
➤ Decreased Reliance on Government Financial Support	➤ Personal/Professional Mobility
➤ Reduced Crime Rates	➤ Improved Health/Life Expectancy
➤ Increased Charitable Giving/Community Service	➤ Improved Quality of Life for Offspring
➤ Increased Quality of Civic Life	➤ Better Consumer Decision Making
➤ Social Cohesion/Appreciation of Diversity	➤ Increased Personal Status
➤ Improved Ability to Adapt to and Use Technology	➤ More Hobbies, Leisure Activities

The Institute for Higher Education Policy, 1998.



College of Arts and Sciences

Fogelman College of Business and Economics

College of Communication and Fine Arts

College of Education

Herff College of Engineering

College and School Banners

Adding to the pageantry of official ceremonies and featuring symbolic images for each of the University's colleges and schools, the banners were first used in 1989. The background of each banner corresponds to the color of that unit's academic regalia hoods and sleeve chevrons. Crowning each ensign are stripes indicating disciplines within the division, while a gold laurel wreath encircles each emblem.

University College

Loewenberg School of Nursing

School of Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology

Cecil C. Humphreys School of Law

Graduate School